GCSC Seminar Series

210 ASB (Aline Skaggs Building)

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Refreshments & meet the speaker at 3:45

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4:00-5:00 PM

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"Navigating Renewable Energy Challenges on Campus"





Abstract

Universities are increasingly interested in finding ways to bring renewable energy to power their campus. Universities, and particularly public universities, have certain qualities that make this effort a unique challenge. Using the University of Utah as an example, we will examine the barriers and opportunities to deploying renewable energy on campuses. We believe that the lessons learned from our experiences can better inform strategic planning and decisions about how universities will meet their renewable energy goals in the coming years.

Bio

Amy J. Wildermuth is the Associate Vice President for Faculty, Chief Sustainability Officer, and a Professor of Law at the University of Utah. As Associate Vice President, Professor Wildermuth oversees a variety of university faculty personnel issues including faculty review and development, and assists with general university administration and governance. In her role as CSO, she coordinates sustainability efforts across campus, including education, research, student engagement, and facilities implementation. She also teaches and writes on civil procedure, administrative law, and U.S. Supreme Court practice.